

Rear Admiral (Lower Half) Selectee John R. Hubbard (2205) received his B.S. degree from Furman University in 1956 and his D.D.S. degree from the Medical College of Virginia, School of Dentistry in 1960. It was while in dental school that he entered the Naval Reserve in the Ensign 1925 Program. After graduation, he spent two years on active duty with the Dental Detachment, Marine Corps Recruit Depot, Parris Island, SC. After his release from active duty in the summer of 1962, RADM(Sel) Hubbard affiliated as the Appropriate Duty Dental Officer, Naval Reserve Center, Spartanburg, SC. He served in that capacity until 1969 when he was assigned to Training & Support Unit 6-67 as Dental Officer. In 1974 he served as Executive Officer of NAVREGDENCEN 1207 at the Naval & Marine Corps Reserve Center, Greenville, SC and as Commanding Officer of the unit from 1975 to 1977 when he was transferred to VTU 0707. In 1979 he became Staff Dental Officer at Naval Reserve Readiness Command Region SEVEN, Charleston, SC, serving in that billet until 1981 when he was assigned to the Commanding Officer billet with Naval Regional Dental Center, Charleston 107 at the Naval Reserve Center, Charleston, SC. In 1983, he was re-assigned as Commanding Officer, Naval Dental Clinic, Parris Island 207 at the Naval Reserve Center, Wilmington, NC. In 1985, RADM (Sel) Hubbard became Dental Officer on the staff of the Commander, Reserve Naval Construction Force/First Reserve Naval Construction Brigade then headquartered in Greensboro, NC. Since 1 OCT 87, he has again been at REDCOM SEVEN as Health Services Support Officer (Code 53).

RADM(Sel) Hubbard wears the Navy Commendation Medal, the National Defense Service Medal and the Armed Forces Reserve Medal with Hourglass Device. In 1987 he was the recipient of the Commandant's Award for service as a Naval Academy Blue and Gold Officer.

A Fellow of the Academy of General Dentistry, RADM(Sel) Hubbard is a past-president of the SC Chapter of the Academy of General Dentistry and of the Piedmont District Dental Society. He served a six-year term on the South Carolina State Board of Dentistry and as president of the Board in 1982.

RADM(Sel) Hubbard and his wife, Jean, reside in Gaffney, SC where Dr. Hubbard is in private dental practice. They have two children: Nancy, of Richmond, VA and Douglas, of Gaffney.